

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DENISE FREEMAN, :
Plaintiff, :
 :
v. : **No. 24-cv-0670**
 :
ALLENTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT, :
Defendant. :

O R D E R

AND NOW, this 1st day of March, 2024, upon consideration of Plaintiff Denise Freeman's Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 1), *pro se* Complaint (ECF No. 2), and Request for appointment of counsel (ECF No. 3) it is **ORDERED** that:

1. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is **GRANTED** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.
2. The Complaint is **DEEMED** filed.
3. The Complaint is **DISMISSED** for the reasons stated in the Court's

Memorandum as follows:

- a. Any claims raised on behalf of Freeman's granddaughter are **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**; and
- b. Freeman's claims on her own behalf are **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(ii).

4. The Request for appointment of counsel is **DENIED AS MOOT**.
5. The Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to **CLOSE** this case.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Joseph F. Leeson, Jr.

JOSEPH F. LEESON, JR.
United States District Judge